

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 28/03/2015

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



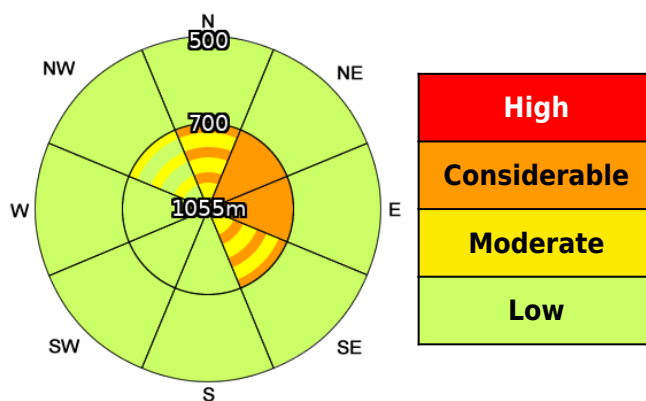
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Unstable windslab will continue to accumulate in sheltered locations, predominantly on North-West to South-East aspects above 700 metres. where avalanches are likely especially during temperature rise. Other aspects will be affected due to cross loading. Newly formed cornices will be unstable and prone to collapse. Exposed ridges remain scoured. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Heavy overnight snow will turn briefly to rain during the morning, reverting to snow later in the day. Strong South-Westerly winds overnight will back South Easterly during the early hours before veering Westerly with gusts to 90 mph later in the day. Freezing level above the summits during the morning, falling to 600 metres by the end of the forecast period.

Comments

Recent avalanche debris observed on Easterly aspect at 800 metres.



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